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Applicant: Koblish et al. Serial No.: 09/737,176

Filing Date: December 13, 2000

Title: Surgical Probe For

Supporting Inflatable Therapeutic

Devices In Contact With Tissue In Or Around A Body

Orifice And Within Tumors

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## AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application:

- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established.
- ☐ A Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- ☐ A Petition for Extension of Time is enclosed.
- □ No additional fee is required.

## The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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TOTAL	40 minus	42	=	0	x \$ 9	\$	x \$ 18	\$0	
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